

PUBLIC WORKS & UTILITIES COMMITTEE

11-0170R

RESOLUTION OF INTENT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF 600 FEET OF
SANITARY SEWER IN COLUMBIA STREET BEGINNING AT NORTH
CENTRAL AVENUE AND EXTENDING WESTERLY AND TO ASSESS THE
COSTS THEREOF.

CITY PROPOSAL:

RESOLVED, that pursuant to Section 61 of the City Charter, the city council hereby expresses its intent to cause the construction of a sanitary sewer in Columbia Street beginning at North Central Avenue and extending 600 feet westerly, and hereby requests that the mayor prepare or cause to have prepared plans, specifications and estimates therefor, and file such plans and estimates with the special assessment board, together with a recommendation as to what portion of the costs should be paid by special assessment, the number of installments in which assessments may be paid, and the properties which should include the special assessment:

5618 Columbia Street

5612 Columbia Street

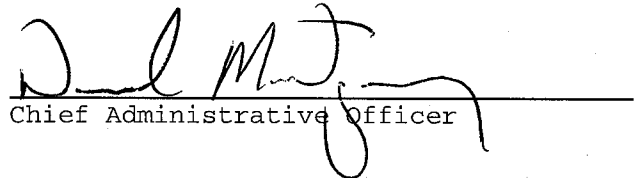
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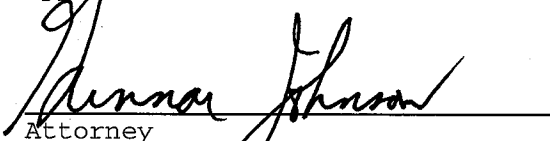
Purchasing Agent



Approved for presentation to council:


Chief Administrative Officer

Approved as to form:


Attorney

Approved:


Auditor

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: This resolution begins the formal process of making assessable improvements for construction of a sanitary sewer to serve 5618 and 5612 Columbia Street, which are currently served by a common private sanitary sewer service that is a major source of infiltration and inflow. This problem has been going on for several years. Requests to the residents to make repairs have been unsuccessful.

As provided for in Section 61 of the City Charter, the process can be initiated either by petition or by action of the city council itself. The latter route is being used due to the excessive infiltration and inflow into the shared private sewer service.

As is normal, this resolution of intent is the first step in the process. Once approved it will trigger preparation of plans and specifications for the work and estimates of the costs and the assessments involved. Notices will then be sent to the affected property owners and they will be given the opportunity to be heard before the special assessment board. After the board makes its recommendations, the matter will return to the city council for consideration of an ordering-in resolution.

